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**Question Number : 1 Question Id : 32718729694 Question Type : SUBJECTIVE Consider As Subjective : Yes**

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1. a) Define Genetic counseling. [4]
- b) Write the risk assessment strategy for various categories of genetic disorders. [6]

**Question Number : 2 Question Id : 32718729695 Question Type : SUBJECTIVE Consider As Subjective : Yes**

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- a) What is the role of consanguinity in recessive disease? [3]
- b) Explain role of homozygosity mapping in such families with the help of figures. [4]
- c) Explain founder effect with the help of examples. [3]

**Question Number : 3 Question Id : 32718729696 Question Type : SUBJECTIVE Consider As Subjective : Yes**

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What are the three mechanisms of diseases in autosomal dominant conditions. Explain each with the help of at least one example. [3.5+3.5+3]

**Question Number : 4 Question Id : 32718729697 Question Type : SUBJECTIVE Consider As Subjective : Yes**

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- a) Explain X chromosome inactivation. [5]
- b) Explain how it acts as a modifier of X linked disorders? [5]

**Question Number : 5 Question Id : 32718729698 Question Type : SUBJECTIVE Consider As Subjective : Yes**

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- a) Describe RNA sequencing. [2]
- b) Discuss the mechanism underlying RNA sequencing based genetic diagnoses. [8]

**Question Number : 6 Question Id : 32718729699 Question Type : SUBJECTIVE Consider As Subjective : Yes**

**Correct Marks : 10**

Explain mosaicism and its mechanism. Give two examples. [6+4]

**Question Number : 7 Question Id : 32718729700 Question Type : SUBJECTIVE Consider As Subjective : Yes**

**Correct Marks : 10**

- a) Uniparental disomy. [5]
- b) Genomic imprinting. [5]

**Question Number : 8 Question Id : 32718729701 Question Type : SUBJECTIVE Consider As Subjective : Yes**

**Correct Marks : 10**

Explain Pharmacogenomics with examples where it is clinically relevant to the treatment to be instituted. [5+5]

**Question Number : 9 Question Id : 32718729702 Question Type : SUBJECTIVE Consider As Subjective : Yes**

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Explain Biomarkers and its relevance for rare disorders with the help of examples. [5+5]

**Question Number : 10 Question Id : 32718729703 Question Type : SUBJECTIVE Consider As Subjective : Yes**

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"Karyotype is now an obsolete test" Do you agree with this statement? Explain with reasons. [2+8]